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COLLECTOR'S PRELIMINARY GRADING OF CONTENT

1. The present Polish Ministry for National Defense (MDN) is divided into three vice ministries:

a. Vice Ministry for Personnel: In addition to its function of treating normal personnel problems, this section also handles secret communications. It was formerly headed by General Spychals'ki, who was succeeded by General Naszkowski.

b. Vice Ministry for Administration and Training: Chief is General Poplawski.

c. Chief Quartermaster's Office (Glowne Kwatermistrzostwo W. P.): This office was at one time known as the Third Vice Ministry and was headed by General Jaroszewicz. Jaroszewicz was replaced in March 1951 by General Gorecki, but the latter was recently succeeded by another officer. The Quartermaster's Office is in turn sub-divided into departments (departamenty), some of which are:

- 1). Provisions (intendantura): Until 1950 headed by Colonel Rudolph.
- 2). Finance.
- 3). Health: Chief is General Szarecki.
- 4). Automotive Transport: Chief until 1951 was Colonel Maskalon.
- 5). Quarters Construction (Kwaternikowo-budowlany): Chief until 1949 was Colonel Blonski who has been deported to the USSR.

The departments of the Quartermaster's Office are divided into sub-departments and they, in turn, into sections (sekcje).

2. Poland is now divided geographically into five military districts (DOW), the headquarters of which are located in Warsaw, Poznan, Bydgoszcz, Krakow and Wroclaw. The commander of DOW-Bydgoszcz is the Soviet General Jaskiewicz. Commander of DOW-Wroclaw was General Daniluk-Danilowski, a Pole, but he has been replaced by Soviet General

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Strazewski. General Daniluk-Danilowski is reportedly now the commanding general of a division. The commander of BOW-Krakow was General Basser who, however, has been jailed for "deviationism"; he was replaced by Soviet General Kiniewicz, who was chief of the K.B.W.

3. The Polish Border Guards (WOP) are now under the supervision of the Ministry for National Security (MNP) instead of under the MON. The WOP is directed through a department of the MNP, the chief of which until recently was Colonel Gutakower; he has been replaced by Colonel Grabowski.
4. The County Security Office (Powiatowy Urzad Bezpieczenstwa, PUB) in Kladzko is located at Plac Szopena. Chief of the office is a captain under whose supervision are five or six investigative officers with the rank of lieutenant and approximately 20 enlisted men. The County Security Office is subdivided into various sections dealing with currency, smuggling, economic sabotage, and church activities. Located in the same building at Plac Szopena is a jail in which are held persons under UB investigation. The jail is supervised by a Captain Pizlo.
5. At Ladek Zdroj, approximately 15 km. from Kladzko, there is a sanatorium and rest home for Soviet officers stationed in the vicinity of Legnica. The sanatorium is reported to have over 300 beds.

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